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# C. B. A La Spirite Corsets

Woman not only requires correct style and durability in her Corsets in these modern days of out-door living, but the incarnate love of beauty in her nature demands grace and shapeliness in them.

## The C. B. Corsets Fully Meet All These Requirements.

No. 253 is made of fine brocade trimmed with double faced satin ribbon—long habit hip and the front of the corset is boned to simulate a fan—reducing the size of the abdomen. The correct Corset for medium stout figures.

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No. 154 in fine brocade—fancy colors long habit hip trimmed with lace and ribbon. It's a regular \$5.00 Corset but the C. B. people only had five

dozen and by taking them all we secured them low enough to sell for \$2.50.

153 is in the same material, in a short hip for slender figures—same price \$2.50.

No. 472 is a fine Coutil with a long hip and fan shaped front. Top trimmed with lace and ribbon. All sizes \$2.50.

New models in C. B. Corsets to fit any figure—75c. to \$5.00.

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## Social and Personal

A very clever paragraph in the issue of "Town Topics" for this week says:

"What dear, romantic veins are opened up in us by the announcement of the engagement of Miss Frances D. Thornton, daughter of Mrs. John C. Calhoun, to Mr. L. H. Murray Roe, the son of the novelist? It is ages and ages since any of us has thought of the Roe, and it is like the Opening of the Korral nut Burr, and discovering the kernel within to have them brought thus interestingly into the foreground again. I have not heard that there is anything unusual in the wedding of this 'Knight of the Nineteenth Century,' and think it may be one of those sweet results of a Summer 'Play and Profit in My Garden' that pass 'From Jest to Earnest' when two young things are 'Near to Nature's Heart.' Miss Thornton is a very attractive girl. 'An Original Belle,' as some say—and 'His Sombra Rivale,' of which there were many, are cruelly swearing it was all 'A Young Girl's Wooing' that constituted 'A Lay of Fate' for Roe. The time of the wedding has not been set, but likely the continuation of 'Nature's Serial Story' will be early in the winter, though I am sure 'A Face Illumined' as is this elective bridegroom is proof that we need not in Love With His Wife."

Miss Gay Bernard Wilson, of No. 3124 South Third Street, entertained handsomely at cards last evening in honor of her guests, Miss Katherine Jordan and Miss Sadie Belle Mayer.

Both Miss Mayer and Mr. Lightfoot have many friends and relatives throughout the State.

An interesting announcement to friends in Richmond brings news of the engagement of Miss Mary Walter Norcor, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mercer, of Williamsburg, Va., and Mr. H. C. Lightfoot, of Leesburg, who is now associated in business with the Newport News ship yard.

Both Miss Mercer and Mr. Lightfoot have many friends and relatives throughout the State.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gordon for the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Ramsey, to Mr. William Franklin Cox.

The ceremony will take place Wednesday, October 28th, at 1 P. M., in Cascade Baptist Church, Cascade, Va.

The date for the wedding of Miss Frances Marion Fairfax, the sister of Lord Fairfax, formerly of Prince George's county, Maryland, but more recently of London, to Mr. Edward Lowndes Rhet, of New York, has been fixed for November 10th.

The ceremony will take place at "Northampton," the Fairfax home, near Largo, Prince George's county.

The wedding celebration will be quiet, with the Rev. Dr. Kirby, of Potomac, New York, as the celebrant.

The bride will be given away by her brother, C. Edmund Fairfax, who is closely connected with many of the most prominent Virginia families, and Mr. Rhet is of distinguished South Carolina lineage, as his name implies.

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## ANIMAL STORIES FOR OUR BOYS AND GIRLS

The Disobedient Mice.

Two contrary little mice, in disobedience of their parents' orders, left their home one day for a stroll through the world. They had not gone far when they came across a plate of nice, cool milk.

"Ah!" cried Tommy Mouse; "Isn't this fine? I told you we knew more about the world than our parents. See what we have found."

"Yes," replied Jimmy Mouse. "If we had listened to our parents we would have stayed at home and gone hungry."

Then they both fell to drinking the milk, and drank and drank until they could hardly drink any more. And yet there still remained half of the milk in the plate.

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## NAME RECEIVERS FOR BAY SHORE ROAD

Three Norfolk Men Were Appointed by Judge Waddill Yesterday.

Judge Edmund Waddill, Jr., sitting in chambers in the United States Circuit Court yesterday, in the case of Henry E. Finck vs. the Bay Shore Terminal Company, of Norfolk, granted the petition of the defendant for the appointment of receivers to take charge of the assets of the Bay Shore Company. The receivers named by the court are Messrs. Benjamin Watkins Leigh, H. L. Page and J. A. C. Groves. Judge Thomas H. Wilcox, of Norfolk, appeared as counsel for Mr. Finck and Mr. J. Edward Cole, of the same city, appeared for the company. The suit is a friendly one, and the company by its attorney interposed no objection to the receivership.

The plaintiff in the case claims that the Bay Shore Company, which in March, 1902, gave the Atlantic Trust and Deposit Company a mortgage for \$500,000, sold a good many bonds covered by this and then placed on deposit as collateral security bonds to cover an indebtedness of \$100,000, and that the company is now without sufficient money to complete its lines. It is desired to have the receivers complete the road, which, it is agreed, will then be valuable and profitable property. The Atlantic Trust and Deposit Company is made a co-defendant.

## FOUR CASES BEFORE THE POLICE COURT

"They used to be seven," said 'Squire Graves, "but now they are only four," as Bailiff Zarry got up from his seat and softly closed the door.

In less than half an hour or so the 'Squire found there were none, for he had passed them all along just as a matter of fact.

There was Stevens, a stranger, and Fannie and Anne, who helped the sinking fund along on the modern instalment plan.

Stevens came in to see the sights; he thought well of the stores and electric lights; he took a lot of Cheap John brew and slept out in the rain and dew.

As he passed out Fannie and Anne came along, and for fighting each banded the 'Squire a song. "Don't warble to me, as you are alive," said the 'Squire, "but each of you give me a five."

It might have been Tom, Dick and Harry, forsooth, but Tom didn't come, as this is the truth. Both Harry and Dick shuffled up to the bar, and 'Squire Lennie handed them each a slight jar.

Harry went down for taking some shoes and Dick's offense cost him \$2.50 in dues.

## STAMPS BARRED OUT

Merchants Taking Almost Unanimous Action Against the System.

It is now pretty well assured that the great majority of Richmond merchants will not use trading stamps any time soon.

The effort to keep them out of general use has been concerted and more than six hundred retail merchants of the city, great and small, have declared that they will not take advantage of the decision of the State Supreme Court. They have signed an agreement to that effect.

A meeting of the committee of merchants to get signatures to this agreement, was held yesterday morning. Twenty-five separate papers were returned to the committee bearing twenty-four signatures. All classes of retail men are in the agreement and it is learned that only fourteen of the 635 merchants seen had entered into any agreement with the trading stamp company of New York.

It is learned that Norfolk merchants have taken equally as unanimous action against the trading stamps as the Richmond retailers.

## REMAINS IDENTIFIED

Dead Man is Said to Be Benjamin Kidd, of Richmond.

The remains of the aged white man found in a dying condition on the streets of Richmond on Wednesday have been identified as those of Benjamin Kidd, who formerly lived at No. 82 East Cary Street.

The body was identified by James Scratchfield, who says he formerly roomed in the same house with the dead man. He said also that Kidd had two sons living in this city and another in Roanoke. Up to twelve months ago he was an inmate of the Soldiers' Home.

The children of Mr. Kidd will be notified, and the remains will be turned over to them.

## MR. STEGER AGAIN WINS HIS SUIT

In the Law and Equity Court yesterday the jury awarded a verdict to Mr. K. H. Steger in his suit against the Passenger and Power Company for \$1,800, he having asked for \$10,000.

This is the second victory for Mr. Steger. He won a verdict of \$2,000 at the first trial, and the case was remanded to the lower court by the Supreme Court.

A motion was made by Mr. Henry Taylor, Jr., counsel for the defendant company, to set the verdict aside, and this will be argued later.

Messrs. B. O. James and W. R. Meredith appeared for Mr. Steger.

## Dr. Witherspoon To-morrow.

Dr. Witherspoon, pastor of Grace-Street Presbyterian Church, will occupy his pulpit to-morrow morning and preach a sermon appropriate to the celebration of Lord's supper. The Doctor's subject will be: "The Prepared Table." Immediately after the morning service the communion will be observed.

At night Rev. C. W. Maxwell will preach for Dr. Witherspoon.

## Dr. Pell to Lecture.

Dr. Edward Leigh Pell will lecture on the Sunday-school lesson at the Young Men's Christian Association this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

## ONE LADY'S RECOMMENDATION SOLD FIFTY BOXES OF CHAMBERLAIN'S STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS.

I have, I believe, sold fifty boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets on the recommendation of one lady here, who first bought a box of them about a year ago. She has been telling her neighbors and friends about the good qualities of these Tablets.—P. M. Shore, Druggist, Rochester, Ind. The pleasant purgative effect of these Tablets makes them a favorite with ladies everywhere. For sale by all druggists.

## Acres of Dahlias.

Over one thousand varieties of dahlias can be seen by the acre at Mark Thompson's gardens now—the best they have been this season. Take the Westhampton cars and go and see them to-day, before frost reaches them. He can accommodate a large number of people. He will have a wagonload at the corner of Sixth and Broad every Saturday at 3 P. M. while they last.

THE HOT WEATHER TEST makes people better acquainted with their resources of strength and endurance. Many find they need Hood's Sarsaparilla which invigorates the blood, promotes refreshing sleep and overcomes that tired feeling.

Fill your house with boarders through Times-Dispatch Want Ad.

# W. L. DOUGLAS

## \$3.50 Shoe

UNION MADE

W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 compared with other makes. They are the best \$3.50 shoes in the world.

Made in Congress, Button and Lace, light and heavy soles, on latest style lasts. All sizes and widths. Best Fall and Winter shoes ever produced.



**For More than a Quarter of a Century**

W. L. Douglas shoes have been leaders in style, fit and wear. They have earned a world-wide reputation by merit alone. They are the standard everywhere.

W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes have the style and character of \$5 and \$6 shoes. They are made in all styles and most every kind of leather.

The immense sales prove they are the best, because W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's \$3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the U.S.

**Every Gentleman Should Have Three Pairs of Douglas \$3.50 Shoes to Dress His Feet Properly on All Occasions.**

He should have a pair of Viscolized, waterproof, heavy, double-sole shoes for wet weather; a pair suitable for pleasant days, and for full dress, a pair of Patent Leather Button Shoes.

Don't pay \$15.00 to \$18.00 for these three pairs; you can get as much style, fit, comfort and service in three pairs of Douglas shoes for \$10.50.

**CAUTION!** Name and price stamped on the bottom. Do not take no substitute.

**Fast Color Eyelets Used Exclusively.**

That Douglas uses Corona Colt proves there is value in Douglas \$3.50 shoes. Corona Colt is the highest grade patent leather made.

**Boys wear W. L. Douglas High Grade Shoes. Price, \$2.00 and \$1.75.**

Sold by 65 Douglas stores in the principal cities, and the best retail shoe dealers everywhere.

W. L. Douglas \$2.50 shoes are worth \$3.50 compared with other makes. They are the best \$2.50 shoes in the world.

W. L. Douglas \$2.50 shoes are made to meet the demands of those who want good, dressy, serviceable shoes, and are unable to pay higher prices.

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## BEST IN THE WORLD \$2.50 SHOE FOR MEN

W. L. Douglas \$2.50 shoes are made of better leather, have more style, and will wear longer than any other \$2.50 shoe. The same high grade workmanship as W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes—the best in the world.

Shoes by mail, 25 cents extra. Illustrated catalog of Fall and Winter styles mailed free.

W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

## RICHMOND STORE:

### 623 EAST BROAD STREET. W. N. WATKINS, Manager.

## THE FUNERAL OF MRS. LANGHORNE

Last Sad Rites Held Yesterday at St. Paul's—Interment in Hollywood.

The last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Nannie Langhorne, whose sudden death in Lynchburg a few days ago carried grief to the hearts of hundreds of people throughout the State, were held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in this city.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., rector of St. Paul's, assisted by the Rev. F. W. Neve, rector of the church in Albemarle, which the family attend. The church was nearly filled with the friends and relatives of the deceased, among those present being General Fitzhugh Lee. The immediate family occupied the front center seats. Among the number were Mr. O. D. Langhorne, Mr. and Mrs. T. Moncreux Perkins, Mrs. Reginald Brooks, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Mrs. Nannie Langhorne Shaw, Mrs. Nora L. Langhorne, Messrs. E. Keen Langhorne, Harry Langhorne and William H. Langhorne.

Mr. Charles Dana Gibson and Mr. Reginald Brooks were unable to reach Richmond in time to attend the funeral, but they joined the family at Deswell last evening, and went to "Mirador" with them.

The floral offerings were many, and beautiful. The chancel rail was piled high with scores of designs. A single floral made fifty of them. It was necessary to have two covered wagons at the

## church to convey the flowers to the cemetery.

After the brief, but beautiful, Episcopal service, during which the full vested choir sang, the remains were borne to their last resting place in Hollywood.

Active: Messrs. Charles E. Bolling, Leck R. Page, W. R. Meredith, Carter, Toynes, J. T. Anderson, John H. Lyons, Barton Hazell Grundy and Lillburn T. Myers.

Honorary: Messrs. George W. Stevens, Thomas Bolling, Julius B. Mosby, Charles U. Williams, Thomas Atkinson, Arthur M. Sedon, Wyndham R. Meredith, Carter Branch, James B. Pace, James D. Patton, W. S. Forbes, Dr. J. A. White, Dr. George Ben Johnston and Dr. Lewis Bosher.

## SWELLING THE FUND

Dr. J. William Jones Lecturing for the Battle Abbey.

Dr. J. William Jones left last night for Clemson College, S. C., where he will lecture in the interest of the Battle Abbey. Dr. Jones is the secretary of the association which is to establish the Battle Abbey, and this winter one of the ways he will serve his cause will be to deliver lectures in every part of the South, giving the net proceeds to swell the fund.

Since Dr. Jones took up this work a year ago \$10,000 have been added to the fund by private subscriptions and \$50,000 appropriated by the city of Richmond.

## Special Session.

The Common Council has been called in special session for Monday night to consider the plan proposed by the committee to redistrict the city into wards.

## BURNETT'S EXTRACT OF VANILLA

Is the leader all the world over. Use no other.

## OLD MAN BROUGHT HERE ON GRAVE CHARGE

United States Deputy Marshal U. M. Bland returned yesterday from Amelia county, where he arrested J. W. Booker Robertson on a bench warrant issued by Judge Waddill, after indictment by the grand jury, on a charge of sending obscene letters to his wife. Robertson is charged with having sent an obscene letter to his wife, in which he charges her with familiarity with another man. He is an old man and apparently rather feeble. He is a real estate dealer, his home being in Henricburg county, but he formerly resided in Manchester.

Just how strong the government's case against the old man is remains to be seen. The grand jury having heard only one side in its indictment. Robertson is held to await action on the charge.

Mr. Leslie L. Cullom, of Washington, special agent of the customs department of the United States Treasury Department, arrived in the city yesterday from Newport News, where he has been on official business. He visited the customs house and inspected the customs collector's office, finding everything in satisfactory condition.

## Two Chimneys Ablaze.

Two alarms of fire were turned in yesterday, but both were due to burning chimneys, and no damage was done. One call was to a 34 North Tenth Street and the other to No. 1711 East Grace Street.

## At Union Mission.

The services at Union Gospel Mission, No. 3 North Seventh Street, will be especially interesting Sunday; subject: "I Sleep, But My Heart Walketh." Good singing. All are invited.



## "GETTING IT DOWN PAT"

That's what the makers of Dr. David's Cough Syrup have done when they produced the greatest Cough Cure known. Dr. David's Cough Syrup will cure Coughs, Colds, Croup, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Large bottles 25 cents everywhere.

## Five Handsome Residences.

The five residences which Mr. Gilbert J. Hunt is to erect at and near the corner of Parke Avenue and Lombardy Street will be begun right away. Ground will be broken to-day or Monday. The houses are to cost from \$500 to \$600 dollars each, containing ten or twelve rooms and every modern convenience.

If you suffer from indigestion or acid stomach drink a number of Blue Ridge Dyspepsia Water before meals and before retiring. It will relieve you. For further particulars address Phil F. Brown, Blue Ridge, Va. Reference: The medical profession. Fresh supply for sale at Thaw and Grant's, Eleventh and Main.